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On Behalf Of:	Myself and the people of the state of Oregon
Committee:	House Committee On Rules
Measure, Appointment or Topic:	SB243

On a pretty consistent basis, the democrats of this state try to take away people's freedom and rights. Your fear of guns is not justified by the facts. The facts are, this bill will do nothing to stop gun violence. The mentally ill will still continue to commit these crimes. To take away the people's rights because of actions by criminals only benefits the criminals. You and this bill may end up responsible for the death of law abiding citizens. Due to the inability to protect themselves from a criminal action. Stop the attack on the people's freedom. Stop the attack on their rights, and start focusing on the real problem, mental health, criminal actions, and lack of prosecution. Stop making excuses for the actions of criminals and leave the law abiding citizens alone. Vote no on this legislation. Thanks for your time and consideration in this matter.